



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

In re Patent Application of

Atty Dkt. 1579-312

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NAIR et al

Group Art Unit: 1636

Serial No. 09/171,916

Examiner: Guzo, D.

Filed: February 16, 1999

Date: September 3, 2003

Title: METHODS FOR TREATING CANCERS AND PATHOGEN INFECTIONS USING
ANTIGEN-PRESENTING CELLS LOADED WITH RNA

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rejecting claims 1-9, 13-15, 17, 18, (\$ 320.00) \$ 320.00
25-27 and 29-41

☐ An appeal **BRIEF** is attached in triplicate in the pending appeal of the
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☐ A reply brief is attached in triplicate under Rule 193(b) (no fee)

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